



Law Society of Ireland
Privacy Statement for Register of CV

We are the Law Society of Ireland of Blackhall Place, Dublin 7, Ireland (the “**Law Society**”, “**we**”, “**us**”, “**our**”). We are the educational, representative and regulatory body of the solicitors' profession in Ireland.

We take our responsibilities under applicable data protection law, including the General Data Protection Regulation and implementing legislation such as the Data Protection Act 2018 very seriously. The purpose of this notice is to inform you of the personal data relating to you that we may collect and use (including disclosures to third parties) we may make of such data.

The Law Society is the controller of this personal data. If you have any questions about our use of your personal data, please contact us at dataprivacy@lawsociety.ie.

Personal Data that we collect and Process

We will collect and process personal data relating to you. This personal data may include any data you submit within your curriculum vitae.

Purposes of Processing and Legal Basis

We, and third party service providers acting on our behalf, may use personal data relating to you for the purposes and based on the legal basis set out below:

Purpose	Legal Basis for Processing
To allow the prospective solicitors visibility of the candidate profiles	Consent

Sources of Data

You are the sole source of the data.

Recipients of Data

We may disclose your personal data to other organisations in connection with the above purposes, including:

- to other solicitors and members who avail of the service

- Authorities or any other entity mandated by law
- In limited circumstances, your data may be accessible to our technical vendors during testing and maintenance of the systems.

Retention

We will hold your data for one year from the date you upload, update or refresh your CV.

Transfers Abroad

In connection with the above, we might transfer your personal data outside the European Economic Area, including to a jurisdiction which is not recognised by the European Commission as providing for an equivalent level of protection for personal data as is provided for in the European Union. If and to the extent that we do so, we will ensure that appropriate measures are in place to comply with our obligations under applicable law governing such transfers. These may include entering into a contract governing the transfer that contains the 'standard contractual clauses' approved for this purpose by the European Commission. If you would like to receive further details of the measures that we have taken in this regard, please contact us at dataprivacy@lawsociety.ie.

Your rights

You have the following rights, in certain circumstances and subject to certain restrictions, in relation to your personal data:

Right to access the data, Right to rectification, Right to erasure, Right to withdraw your consent, Right to data portability, Right to restriction of processing, or to object to processing are completely within your control. You can exercise the rights by accessing, editing or removing the data from our portal at any time.

Complaints

If you have any queries or complaints in connection with our processing of your personal data, you can contact us at dataprivacy@lawsociety.ie.

You also have the right to lodge a complaint with the Irish Data Protection Commission if you are not happy with the way we have used your information or addressed your rights. Details of how to lodge a complaint can be found at <https://www.dataprotection.ie> or you can call the Data Protection Commission at 353 (0)761 104 800.

Updates

The Law Society may update its Privacy Statement from time to time. When we change the statement in a material way, a notice will be posted on our website along with the updated Privacy Statement.

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